

SIKKIM

GOVERNMENT **GAZETTE**
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Gangtok**Tuesday 1st March, 2016****No. 46****STATE ELECTION COMMISSION
SIKKIM****NO: 1/SEC/2016****Dated: 01.03.2016****NOTIFICATION**

WHEREAS vacancies have occurred in the following Gram Panchayat wards in the State of Sikkim:-

District	No & Name of Gram Panchayat Unit	No.& Name of Gram Panchayat Ward	Reserved for
West	15-Lingchom Tikjya 50-Upper Thambong	1-Upper Lingchom 1-Fambong Mathilo Tar	MBC (W) SC
East	27-Assam Linzey	3-Assam Daragaon	MBC

Now, therefore, the State Election Commission of Sikkim in pursuance of the provisions of Rule 85 of the Sikkim Panchayat (Conduct of Election) Rules, 1997 hereby call upon the above Gram Panchayat Wards to elect members to fill up the vacancies in accordance with the provisions of the aforesaid rules.

Further, in pursuance of provisions of rule 14 of the Sikkim Panchayat (Conduct of Elections) Rules, 1997, the State Election Commission, hereby

- (A) appoints with respect to the said elections in the above Gram Panchayat Wards.
- (a) 08.03.2016(Tuesday) - as the last date for making nomination
 - (b) 09.03.2016(Wednesday) - as the date for scrutiny of nomination
 - (c) 11.03.2016(Friday) - as the last date for withdrawal of candidature
 - (d) 31.03.2016(Thursday) - as the date on which a poll shall, if necessary, be taken
 - (e) 04.04.2016(Monday) - as the date before which the election process shall be completed
- (B) Further, as per Rule 16 of the Sikkim Panchayat (Conduct of Election) Rules, 1997, the State Election Commission fixes the hours from 8 a.m. to 4 p.m. as the hours during which the poll shall, if necessary, be taken on the date specified above, for election.

By order,

**Secretary,
State Election Commission, Sikkim**